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SUBJECT:REFINED COPPER: USITC FINDS INJURY

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1. ON AUGUST 3, WITH FIVE COMMISSIONERS PARTICIPATING, THE USITC FOUND BY A VOTE OF FOUR TO ONE THAT INCREASED IMPORTS ARE A SUBSTANTIAL CAUSE OF SERIOUS INJURY TO THE UNITED STATES PRODUCERS OF COPPER.

2. THERE WAS ALSO A DISCUSSION WITH THE STAFF OF FORMS OF RELIEF THAT THE USITC COULD RECOMMEND TO THE PRESIDENT. IN THE VIEW OF THE STAFF, THE MOST APPROPRIATE RELIEF TO REMEDY THE INJURY WOULD BE AN ANNUAL QUOTA OF 300,000 TONS FOR A PERIOD OF FIVE YEARS. THE STAFF FELT THAT ADJUSTMENT ASSISTANCE COULD NOT PROVIDE ENOUGH FUNDING TO MEET THE NEEDS OF LARGE, CAPITAL INTENSIVE, COPPER REFINING FIRMS AND DOUBTED THAT A TARIFF HIKE COULD EFFECTIVELY CONTAIN IMPORT GROWTH DURING THE NEXT FIVE YEARS. IT SHOULD BE UNDERSTOOD THAT THE STAFF'S VIEWS ARE ADVISORY AND THAT IT IS UP TO THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE COMMISSION TO MAKE THE REMEDY DETERMINATION.

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3. THE COMMISSION WILL VOTE ON THE ISSUE OF AN APPROPRIATE

REMEDY ON AUGUST 10 AND WILL SUBMIT A REPORT OF ITS FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDED REMEDY TO THE PRESIDENT ON AUGUST 23. THE PRESIDENT WILL HAVE SIXTY DAYS AFTER RECEIPT OF THE REPORT TO ACCEPT, MODIFY OR REJECT THE COMMISSIONER'S RECOMMENDATION.

4. WE WILL ADVISE ADDRESSEE POSTS OF OUTCOME OF USITC AUGUST 10 DELIBERATIONS. VANCE

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